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**City of Fremont Holiday Closure Scheduled for Dec. 25, 2017 - Jan. 2, 2018**  
***Police, Fire Services Not Affected***

**Fremont, Calif. – December 1, 2017** – The City of Fremont is implementing a Holiday Closure for many non-public safety City Services from Monday, Dec. 25, 2017 through Tuesday, Jan. 2, 2018. The Holiday Closure is scheduled for Dec. 27, 28 and 29, 2017, while City holidays are observed on Dec. 25 and 26, 2017 and Jan. 1 and 2, 2018. City offices participating in the Holiday Closure will re-open for business Wednesday, Jan. 3, 2018. This closure will not affect police and fire services.

Offices that are taking part in the Holiday Closure include:

- City Hall, 3300 Capitol Ave., Building A and Building B (Administrative offices)
- Fire Administration, 3300 Capitol Ave., Building A
- Development Services Center, 39550 Liberty St.
- Maintenance Center, 42551 Osgood Rd.
- All Community Centers

Offices and facilities providing limited services during the Holiday Closure include:

- Parks and Recreation, 3300 Capitol Ave., Building B (for walk-in registration of recreation programs only, from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Dec. 26–29 and Jan. 2, 2018).
- Community Centers and Recreation buildings with holiday day camps, programs, and pre-booked facility rentals will be closed Dec. 25, 2017 and Jan. 1, 2018.
- Human Services will provide limited services for Youth & Family Services and the Family Resource Center.
- HIP Housing will be open Dec. 27–28 by appointment at 510-574-2173.
- Life Eldercare Meals on Wheels will be open (clients should contact 510-574-2090 for additional information).
- Afghan Elderly Association (clients should contact their caseworker for additional information).

During the Holiday Closure:

- The Fremont Police Department and Fremont Fire Department will continue to provide public safety services.
- A minimum number of City staff will be available in an on-call status to provide emergency maintenance services, such as responding to storm-related issues.
- Regularly-scheduled street sweeping will occur on Dec. 27, 28, and 29, weather permitting. No street sweeping on City-observed holidays. (We will make every effort to provide service on a different day.

Contact the City's Maintenance Division at 510-979-5700 prior to the closure for your street's make-up street sweeping date.)

- The Tri-City Animal Shelter, located at 1950 Stevenson Blvd., will be closed to the public on City-observed holidays. Animal Field Services will be available limited hours on Dec. 25 and 26, 2017 and Jan. 1 and 2, 2018.
- The Human Services Department will have one or two crisis counselors available to respond to crisis from Malabar Crisis Receiving home or from the Fremont Police Department or Newark Police Department. Crisis counseling services will be provided at the Fremont Family Resource Center, located at 39155 Liberty St., E500 in the Youth and Family Services office.
- Garbage, recycling, and yard waste collection by Republic Services will be provided one day later than normally scheduled during the closure. Call 510-657-3500 for more information.
- The Parks and Recreation Department will offer camps and other programs.
- Due to limited staffing during the Holiday Closure, community members who need to schedule a building inspection on Dec. 27, 28, and 29 should prearrange their inspection with their building inspector no later than Dec. 20.
- The Fremont Tennis Center will be open for public play, weather permitting as follows: Dec. 24 (7:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.); Dec. 26–29 (8:30 a.m. - 8:30 p.m., regular hours); Dec. 30 (7:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m., regular hours); and Dec. 31 (7:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.) Closed Dec. 25, 2017 and Jan. 1, 2018. Call 510-790-5510 for tennis-related information.

Historically, demand for many City services during the December and January holiday season is low. It is anticipated that the Holiday Closure will have little or no impact on service delivery efficiency.

For more information, visit [www.Fremont.gov/HolidayClosure](http://www.Fremont.gov/HolidayClosure) or call 510-284-4093.

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